Petrova, European Roma Rights Center, and Rumyan Russinov, Roma Participation Project, both of Budapest, Hungary.

FARM BILL

Conferees met to resolve the differences between the Senate and House passed versions of H.R. 2646, to provide for the continuation of agricultural programs through fiscal year 2011, but did not complete action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR WEDNESDAY, APRIL 10, 2002

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

Special Committee on Aging: to hold hearings to examine issues relating to long-term health care, 9:30 a.m., SD-628.

Committee on Appropriations: to hold hearings to examine Homeland Security; hearings will continue at 2:00 p.m, 10 a.m., SH-216.

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Emerging Threats and Capabilities, to hold hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal year 2003 for the Department of Defense, focusing on technology for combating terrorism and weapons of mass destruction, 9 a.m., SR–253.

Subcommittee on Strategic, to hold hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal year 2003 for the Department of Defense, focusing on the Department of Energy's Environmental Management program and the National Nuclear Security Administration's Defense Program and other weapons activities, 2:30 p.m., SR–222.

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Sub-committee on Superfund, Toxics, Risk, and Waste Management, to hold oversight hearings to examine the Superfund program, 10 a.m., SD-406.

Committee on Finance: to hold hearings to examine the reauthorization of Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) Program, created by the Welfare Reform Law of 1996, 9:30 a.m., SD–215.

Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions: to hold hearings to examine the reauthorization of the Institute of Museum and Library Services Act, 10 a.m., SD-430.

Select Committee on Intelligence: to hold closed hearings to examine pending intelligence matters, 2:30 p.m., SH-219.

House

Committee on Appropriations, Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, State and Judiciary, on FTC, 10 a.m., and Congressional witnesses, 2 p.m., H–309 Capitol.

Subcommittee on the District of Columbia, on Public Safety/Emergency Preparedness/Courts, 1:30 p.m., 2362 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Foreign Operations, Export Financing and Related Agencies, on U.S. Assistance to Columbia, 2 p.m., 2359 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Interior, on National Park Service, 10 a.m., and an oversight hearing on Forest Service and Bureau of Land Management-Fish Passage Barriers, 1:30 p.m., B–308 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, Education, on Secretary of Education, 10:15 a.m., 2358 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on VA, HUD and Independent Agencies, on Congressional Witnesses, 9:30 a.m., H–143 Capitol

Committee on Armed Services, Subcommittee on Military Installations and Facilities, hearing on force protection and long-term recapitalization of all U.S. military installations and facilities, 3 p.m., 2212 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Military Personnel, hearing on the fiscal year 2003 Defense Health Program budget request, 2 p.m., 2118 Rayburn.

Committee on Education and the Workforce, Subcommittee on Employer-Employee Relations and the Subcommittee on Workforce Protections, joint hearing on "Record Keeping under the LMRDA: Do DOL Reporting Systems Benefit the Rank and File?" 10:30 a.m., 2175 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Select Education, hearing on the "Status of Financial Management at the Department of Education," 2 p.m., 2175 Rayburn.

Committee on Energy and Commerce, to mark up H.R. 3833, Dot Kids Implementation and Efficiency Act of 2002, and to consider pending Committee business, 10 a.m., 2123 Rayburn.

Committee on Financial Services, Subcommittee on Housing and Community Opportunity, hearing on H.R. 3995, Housing and Affordability for America Act of 2002, 10 a.m., 2128 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Housing and Community Opportunity, hearing to review the current status of empowerment zones and renewal communities, 2 p.m., 2128 Rayburn.

Committee on Government Reform, Subcommittee on Criminal Justice, Drug Policy, and Human Resources, hearing on "Enhancing Border Security and Law Enforcement," 10 a.m., 2154 Rayburn.

Committee on the Judiciary, to mark up H.R. 3231, Immigration Reform and Accountability Act of 2001, 10 a.m., 2141 Rayburn.

Committee on Resources, Subcommittee on Forests and Forest Health, hearing on the following bills: H.R. 3962, Good Neighbor Act of 2002; H.R. 3954, Caribbean National Forest Wild and Scenic Rivers Act of 2002; and H.R. 3401, California Five Mile Regional Learning Center Transfer Act, 10 a.m., 1334 Longworth.

Subcommittee on Water and Power, hearing on H.R. 2301, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to construct a bridge on Federal land west of and adjacent to Folsom Dam in California, 2 p.m., 1334 Longworth.

Committee on Small Business, hearing entitled "Can Improved Compliance with the Regulatory Flexibility Act Resuscitate Small Healthcare Providers?" 10 a.m., 2360 Rayburn.

Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, April 10, Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment, oversight hearing on proposals for a Water Resources and Development Act of 2002, 10 a.m., 2167 Rayburn.

Committee on Veterans' Affairs, Subcommittee on Health, hearing on the following bills: H.R. 3253, National Medical Emergency Preparedness Act of 2001; and H.R. 3254 Medical Education for National Defense in the 21st Century Act, 3 p.m., 334 Cannon.

Committee on Ways and Means, Subcommittee on Select Revenue Measures, hearing on Extraterritorial Income Regime, 2 p.m., 1100 Longworth.

Joint Meetings

Conference: meeting of conferees on H.R. 2646, to provide for the continuation of agricultural programs through fiscal year 2011, 9 a.m., 1300 Longworth Building.